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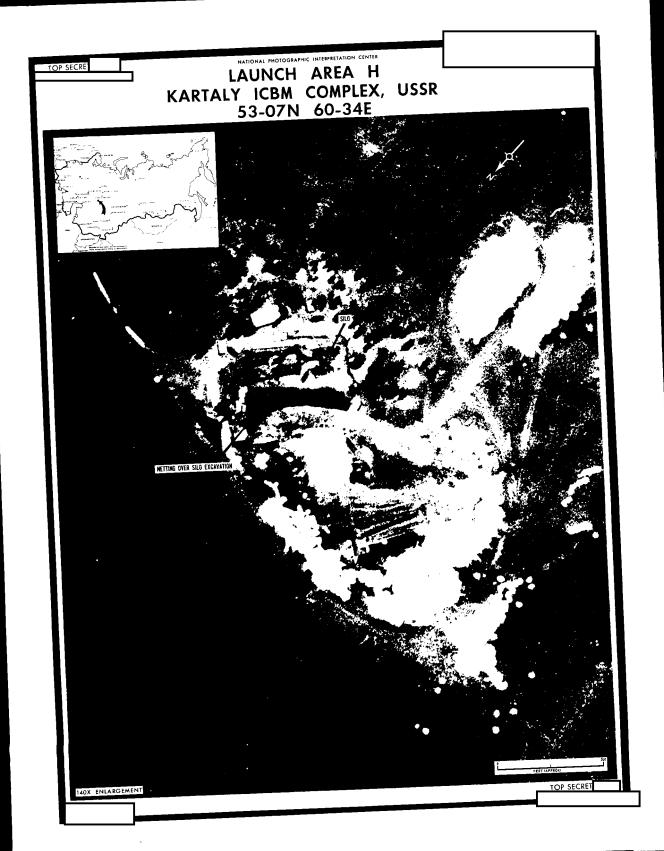
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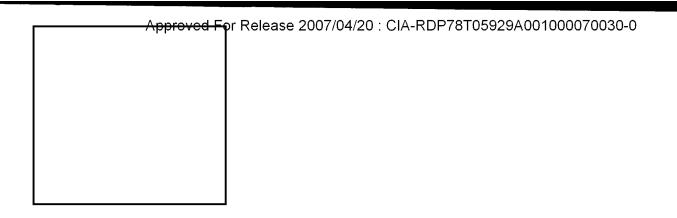
LAUNCH AREA "H"

KARTALY ICEM COMPLEX, USSR

1.	A REVIEW OF	REVEALED A NEWLY	25X1
	IDENTIFIED PROBABLE ICBM COMPLEX IN AN EARLY STAGE OF CONSTRUCTION		
	LOCATED APPROXIMATELY 2 NM WEST OF KARTALY, USSR.	. THE COMPLEX	
	CONSISTED OF 2 PROBABLE AND ONE POSSIBLE TYPE HIC SINGLE SILO LAUNCH SITES AND A PROBABLE COMPLEX SUPPORT FACILITY. SUBSEQUENT COVERAGE BY 8 KH MISSIONS RESULTED IN THE CONFIRMATION OF THE PREVIOUSLY IDENTIFIED PORTIONS OF THE COMPLEX, AS WELL AS THE IDENTIFICATION OF A RAIL-TO-ROAD TRANSFOR POINT AND 5 ADDITIONAL TYPE HIC SITES. LAUNCH AREA "H" WAS FIRST IDENTIFIED IN AN EARLY STAGE OF		
	CONSTRUCTION ON CONSTRUCTI	ON ACTIVITY AT THIS	25X1
	AREA WAS FIRST OBSERVABLE ON	BUT WAS NOT	25 X 1
	PRESENT ON		25X1
2.	THIS MISSION REVEALS THAT A LARGE ELEVATED NET HAS BEEN PLACED GVER THE EXCAVATION AT LAUNCH AREA "H"; HOWEVER, THE SILO CORING AND SOME EQUIPMENT ARE STILL VISIBLE THROUGH THE NETTING. THE SITE IS NOW IN A MID-SLAGE OF CONSTRUCTION, THE SILO BEING UNDER CONSTRUCTION INSIDE THE CORING. PILES OF UNIDENTIFIED WHITE MATERIAL APPARENTLY DUMPED IN TRUCKLOAD LOTS ARE OBSERVED IN THE VICINITY OF THE EXCAVATION.		

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